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## Union building in future?

Norman Weinstein (left), architect for the LSUS University Center, discusses center plans with Chancellor Donald E. Shipp (center) and Dr. A.C. Harper (right), vice president for administration and facilities for the LSU System. This is the final planning meeting on developmental plans and specifications on the center, according to Dr. Shipp. (photo: Roger Herring)

## Spring registration figures given

by GEORGE SYLVIE  
Contributing Writer

Enrollment is down from the fall semester, according to spring registration figures released by Fabia Thomas, registrar and assistant to the Chancellor.

The 2789 total represents an 11.8 per cent drop from last

fall's total of 3161, but is almost a four per cent increase from the spring of 1975 when 2686 had registered.

THOMAS explained the decrease with "Although we don't make official predictions of spring enrollments, the figure is usually down about 10 per cent from the preceding semester."

She added that there will be a late registration Thursday, Jan. 15, from which an additional 150 to 175 students are expected, cutting the drop in half.

The College of Business Administration once again led all other colleges with 744 students. Next in line came Education, 535; Liberal Arts, 508; Sciences, 507 and General Studies with 495. Only Education (557) and Sciences (517) experienced decreases from last spring.

ALSO RELEASED by the Registrar's Office was the "disposition of total enrollment" for last fall. The report said that 2636 students or 83.4 per cent of the 3161 total were eligible to continue this semester.

Of the remaining number of the above, 301 resigned from the university while 6.8 per cent (216) were ineligible due to their final grades.

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## SAB supports student union

by KAY OWENS

The Student Activities Board (SAB) recently established a student-staff organization to support the LSUS Student Union Center projected for 1978, according to Preston Friedley, new SAB president.

"The SAB is being revamped to operate from year to year instead of dealing with the regular helter skelter shifts in position and duties," Friedley said.

THE SAB president stated that he expects more student involvement during the spring semester because of time and location changes of scheduled activities. Although Recruitment and Leadership, Budget and Public Relations vice presidents have not been approved, Friedley believes the three positions will definitely aid the program.

The previous Friday night showings of the Telstar films have been changed to the Pilots Program. Since many students are married and have families, more G rated films will be shown, such as, "1776" and "Laurence of Arabia". PG rated movies include "Cool Hand Luke," "Touch of Class," "A Parallax View" and "Front Page." "Slaughterhouse Five" and "Everything You Always Wanted To Know About Sex" are rated R.

THE NEW Film Festival includes horror, Shakespeare,

and history presentations on various week days at 2 p.m. in the Science Lecture Auditorium.

For further entertainment, the Shreveport Symphony will highlight three afternoon and three evening performances. Also, two dances are planned at Fort Humbug and the Municipal Auditorium. An East Indian concert is tentatively scheduled for a two-day program. The presentation involves music and exotic food for the audience to sample.

"COFFEE HOUSE Circuit is one of SAB's strongest assets," Friedley stated. The informal gathering encourages professor-student participation and is designed to acquaint students with the knowledge and talents of faculty, excluding their major profession. For example, Dr. Norman Provizer and Dr. Marvin Stottlemire, assistant professors of political science, will talk to students about Watergate. Also, Chancellor Donald E. Shipp is unofficially scheduled to speak on "How to Improve LSUS," Friedley said.

"The key for a successful semester is student involvement and participation. We have taken many ideas into consideration to benefit LSUS students and faculty," he concluded.

## LSUS receives accreditation

by GARRETT STEARNS

LSUS has received official accreditation as a baccalaureate degree-granting institution by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), according to Dr. Gary K. Brashier, vice chancellor for Academic Affairs.

In a recent letter to Chancellor Donald E. Shipp the SACS Executive Secretary-Commission on Colleges, Gordon W. Sweet, said, "It is a pleasure to welcome your institution into membership of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools at Level III. You, your faculty and staff may be proud of this accomplishment."

Accreditation at Level III means also that LSUS is approved to develop graduate programs. The University is currently planning master degree programs in the areas of Business Administration and Education, according to Dr. Brashier.

LSUS had completed the fourth and final phase in the accreditation process in May of last year. LSUS now has autonomous accreditation as a member in the southeast region of SACS. "It is the result of three years of hard work by the faculty and staff to get this accomplished," Dr. Brashier added.



Preston Friedley plans SAB spring events. (photo: Roger Herring)



# Campus Briefs

## SAB election

The SAB is conducting elections next Monday at noon in BH 138. Offices open are Vice President for Budget, Vice President for Leadership and Recruitment, and Vice President for Public Relations. Preston Friedley, SAB President, urges students interested in planning movies, dances, speakers or tours to contact him in BH 126 for further information.

## Woody to speak

Painter, author and lecturer Russell Woody will speak Wednesday from 8-9 a.m. in BH 410. Woody's lectures on acrylic polymer emulsion techniques and approaches have taken him to over 300 art schools, colleges and universities in the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.

## Alumni director

John R. Tabor is now the director of information services and alumni affairs. His new duties will include sending out an alumni newsletter.

## Sigma Alpha Upsilon

Sigma Alpha Upsilon, Psycholinguistic Merit Fraternity, will hold a Drop-In Social Wednesday, Jan. 21, from 11:00 until 2:00 in BH 323. All persons interested in joining the Helpers or Players Divisions are invited for refreshments, meet the officers and receive information about the organization.

## Classified ads

The Almagest will once again be accepting Classified Ads as a free service to students, faculty and staff members. The ads must not represent a business or commercial enterprise and the policy of equal opportunity to which the Almagest subscribes must be adhered to. Ads are subject to editing and will be run for two weeks, then cancelled at the option of the Editor if not renewed.

Contact the Almagest, room 328 of Bronson Hall, phone 865-7121, ext. 328 to place an ad.

## Psychologists speak

Dr. George M. Kemp, chairman of the psychology department, recently addressed the West Shreveport Rotary Club and Dr. Mark Vigen, assistant professor of psychology, discussed the topic "Depression" on campus last semester.

## Degrees awarded

Thirteen area teachers received master of education degrees Dec. 19 from LSU Baton Rouge through the LSUS campus.

The following students graduated:

Administration—Elliott Bond Stonecipher and John Robert Urban.

Supervision—Marvin Learohn Caldwell, Marylynn P. Davis, Diane Graves Kneass, Betty Ann Rogers, Susan Ann Smith and Ruth Ann Williams.

Elementary Education—Paula Jean Gibson, James Brian Kenney and Martha Sue Moser.

Secondary Education—Sallie B. Moore.

Reading—Vivian Marsalise Goodman.

## English convention

Five faculty members attended the annual South Central Modern Language Association convention in New Orleans Dec. 11-13. Professor Wilfred L. Guerin presented a paper, "Dynamo, Virgin, and Cyclotron: Henry Adams and Teilhard de Chardin on Pilgrimage." A version of the paper has been accepted for publication by "Renascence: Essays on Values in Literature," published by the Catholic Renaissance Society at Marquette University. Other members of the English Department attending the meeting were Dr. Robert Leitz, Glen S. Bollman and Marilyn Baldwin, all assistant professors. Mrs. Baldwin also attended the association's national convention in San Francisco Dec. 26-29.

## French books

Basic Conversational French books for French 101-102 are being bought back now by the LSUS Bookstore because the books are out-of-print, according to Shirley Brown, chairman of the Foreign Language Department.

## Accounting club

The LSUS Accounting Club will have its first meeting of the spring semester Jan. 22 at 6 p.m. in the Library Building.

## New courses

Dr. Larry Marshman, director of the special education center, has announced that a new course in training and educating persons with severe mental and/or physical handicaps will be taught this spring.

## Certificates awarded

Mayor Calhoun Allen awarded certificates to 25 municipal and parish administrative employees Dec. 11. The event concluded a three-hour, ten-week seminar designed to improve skills of middle management and supervisory city and parish employees of Northwest Louisiana.

## Graduate courses

Sixteen graduate courses applicable to the master of education, business administration and social welfare degrees, will be taught on campus this spring through LSU-Baton Rouge and the Division of Continuing Education.

## Russell attends

Dr. Robert H. Russell, assistant professor of communications, recently attended an organizational meeting of the Louisiana Journalism Education Association, a group of high school and college teachers.

## Yarborough listed

Dr. Edna Yarborough, associate professor of health and physical education, will be listed in the 1976-77 edition of the Dictionary of International Biography, to be published in October.

## SGA senator

The Student Government Association (SGA) has a senatorial position open this semester. Anyone interested should come by the SGA office or contact Tim Hardy or Billy Lyons.

## Alpha Delta Kappa

Alpha Eta Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa, honorary society for women educators, will sponsor the National Children's Theatre production of "Christopher Columbus" at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 17 at the Civic Theater on the Riverfront. The play is based on Washington Irving's story of Columbus' fourth visit to the New World. Admission is \$1.00 and special arrangements will be made for church groups, birthday parties or other organizations.

## Calendar

Friday, January 16

1, 7 and 9:30 p.m.—"Slaughterhouse Five," SLA, rated R.

Sunday, January 18

Super Bowl 10, Dallas vs. Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, January 20

2 p.m.—Horror Film Festival feature, "DeSade," SLA.

Wednesday, January 21

Noon—Bicentennial Concert, Woodwind Quartet, SLA.

2 p.m.—Horror Film Festival feature, "Phantom of the Paradise," SLA.

Entries close for Intramural basketball, volleyball, badminton and ping pong.

Thursday, January 22

12:30 p.m.—Bicentennial film, "In All Cases Whatsoever," SLA.

2 p.m.—Horror Film Festival Feature, "Comedy of Terrors," SLA.

## Dolch attends

Norman A. Dolch, assistant professor of sociology, recently attended the executive council meeting of the Louisiana Academy of Sciences at LSU-Alexandria. Dolch was also named KEEL radio's Teacher of the Day recently.

## Grants awarded

Dr. Daniel E. McCarty, assistant professor of economics, and Dr. Philip M. Scherer, acting chairman of the Department of Economics and Finance, have been awarded \$800 to do research on the employment characteristics of financial institutions in the Ark-La-Tex.

Dr. Laurence M. Hardy, associate professor of biological sciences, and Dr. Robert R. Haynes, assistant professor of biological sciences, have been awarded a grant of \$200 to travel to Tobasco, Mexico for two projects. Dr. Haynes will collect and study specimens of the genus Potamogeton and Dr. Hardy will study Tobasco reptiles and amphibians.

## Writing lab

A new writing laboratory designed to help students having difficulties with writing assignments is now open in BH 210.



# GREEK BEAT

by GINA GORDEY



(Editor's Note: The following is a weekly column to inform students of greek activities on campus. The Almagest welcomes contributions from fraternities and sororities. Please have material in by noon on Tuesdays to Gina Gordey, Almagest Feature Editor.)

### Spring Rush

The LSUS Panhellenic Conference has scheduled registration for all girls interested in the informal spring rush being held by the three sororities Alpha Phi, Delta Delta Delta and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Tables will be set up in the Snack Shack on January 19-23 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. daily. Girls may pick up schedule times for rush party dates for the three sororities.

Parties will begin January 5-February 1. Preferential cards will be signed in Bronson Hall, room 132 between 8-10 a.m. Feb. 2. Bids will be picked up between 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Feb. 2.

### Alpha Phi

Alpha Phi International Sorority initiated eight pledges on Jan. 10. Initiates of the Beta Pledge Class are: Carolyn Cluck, Beth Evans, Rhonda Hester, Jill Mole, Marie Owens, Twila Parker, Gayle Perser and Vicki West. An Initiation Banquet was held Saturday night at the Holiday Inn, Bossier.

During January, Alpha Phi is sponsoring the sale of heart-shaped lollipops to benefit the Alpha Phi Cardiology Fund at the LSU Medical School in Shreveport. Containers of lollipops have been placed in many local businesses, or they can be bought in quantity from any member of Alpha Phi.

### Delta Sigma Phi

Delta Sigma Phi, men's fraternity is scheduled to be chartered Jan. 31 as the first fraternity to progress to active status at LSUS. The fraternity initiated four pledges on Jan. 7. New initiates are: James Blackwell, Don Edmonds, Al Knowles and Ken Scott. New pledges include: Richard Dodson, Pat Dowling, Brad Hortman, Mike Norton and Mike Wheller.

### Zeta Tau Alpha

Eta Omega chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha recently initiated Lydia Twohig, the first member of its pledge class at the ZTA lodge on Centenary College campus. Members will usher Saturday at the Alpha Delta Kappa children's play at the Civic Center.

## New contract signed by catering service

by RANDY GRIFFITH

Pickett Food Service, Inc., has signed a new contract with LSUS to continue catering service to the Snack Bar, according to Dr. A. J. Howell, vice chancellor for Business Affairs.

The contract was the result of what Dr. Howell termed "extensive communications" between student representatives working with the school administration and Pickett Food.

Several changes in the operation of the Snack Bar were called for in the new contract, Dr. Howell said. "The basic change was that more emphasis would be placed on the grill for food service and less on the vending machines," he indicated.

The vending machines, instead of supplying such items as soup and sandwiches, would be used only as supplements to the grill, he added.

"We were all very satisfied with the contract. It reflected what the students had expressed to us," Dr. Howell commented.

The contract went into effect Dec. 1 for one year, the Vice Chancellor said, and includes an option for renewal. Dr. Howell explained the option meant LSUS, if it wished, could automatically renew the contract next year without bidding it out. The option is standard for service contracts of that type, he said.

Many of the machines that use to serve various food items have been removed from the Snack Bar.

According to Billy G. Lyons, Student Government Association (SGA) president, a special student committee appointed by him to make recommendations to Pickett Food met with service representatives only once. However, Lyons said he met with representatives from

Pickett Food "a number of times" and he was "satisfied the students got what they wanted" in regards to the contract. "The recommendations the committee made were as close to student opinion as we could find," he said.

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**Slaughterhouse**  
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**Phantom of the Paradise**  
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**Comedy of Terrors**



### Good lookers

LSUS provided not only the winner in the recent Miss Shreveport pageant but also the first runner-up. Susie Frank Parker (right) won the crown Jan. 10 and also took the pageant's talent trophy. Denise Clingan (left), a freshman political science major, was named first runner-up. The contest is sponsored by the Shreveport Jaycees. (photo: Roger Herring)

## Captain Shreve wins tourney in pilot's forensic classic debate

by CARLA HARPER

LSUS sponsored its first Pilot's Forensic Classic debate tournament last Friday and Saturday with Captain Shreve High School defeating ten other area high schools to be named sweepstakes winner.

Byrd High School and Jesuit High School won second and third places respectively, after all teams participated in four rounds of debate.

The winners in individual events were: prose interpretation-Melinda Tolfo, Parkway, first; Mark King, Parkway, second; John Allen, Airline, third; dramatic interpretation — Sharon Reagan, Captain Shreve, first; Mark King, Parkway, second; Diane

Watkins, Huntington, third; poetry interpretation-Sharon Reagan, Captain Shreve, first; Jackie Nash, Huntington, second; Annette Russell, Huntington, third.

Extemporaneous speaking — Jeb Palmer, Byrd, first; Mike Baker, Southwood, second;

Randall Moore, Jesuit, third; Persuasive speaking — Tim Appleby, Jesuit, first; Billie Driver, Captain Shreve, second; Denise Goff, Airline, third.

Any student interested in participating in forensics may contact Dr. Frank Lower, LSUS debate coach.

### Organization Presidents

If you have not made arrangements for club pictures, please come by the Bagatelle Office, Bronson Hall, room 228 and make arrangements no later than Jan. 23.

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ONE IS IN CHRIST  
HE IS A NEW CREATION  
OLD THINGS ARE PASSED  
AWAY, BEHOLD THE NEW HAS COME  
2 CORINTHIANS 5:17



## From the Editor's desk

# What will this semester bring?

The Almagest extends a hearty welcome to new and continuing students and faculty-staff as well as the University community.

Readers will notice a few changes in the Almagest with this edition. Others will be forthcoming as new columns and services become available. We ask all students, as well as the faculty and administration, to submit their opinions to the paper for publication. The Almagest will print as many letters as space permits.

Furthermore, this publication is necessarily concerned with the betterment of LSUS. This concern may at times, correspond with the opinions of our readers—or at other times, it may preclude them.

But whatever the instance, the Almagest pledges to attempt to look at all sides of an issue and to be basically concerned with actions or ideas that will benefit students and their academic home.

One must recognize that total objectivity is an absolute; the Almagest can make no guarantee of the impossible. But with a sincere, hard-working staff this goal will constantly be foremost.

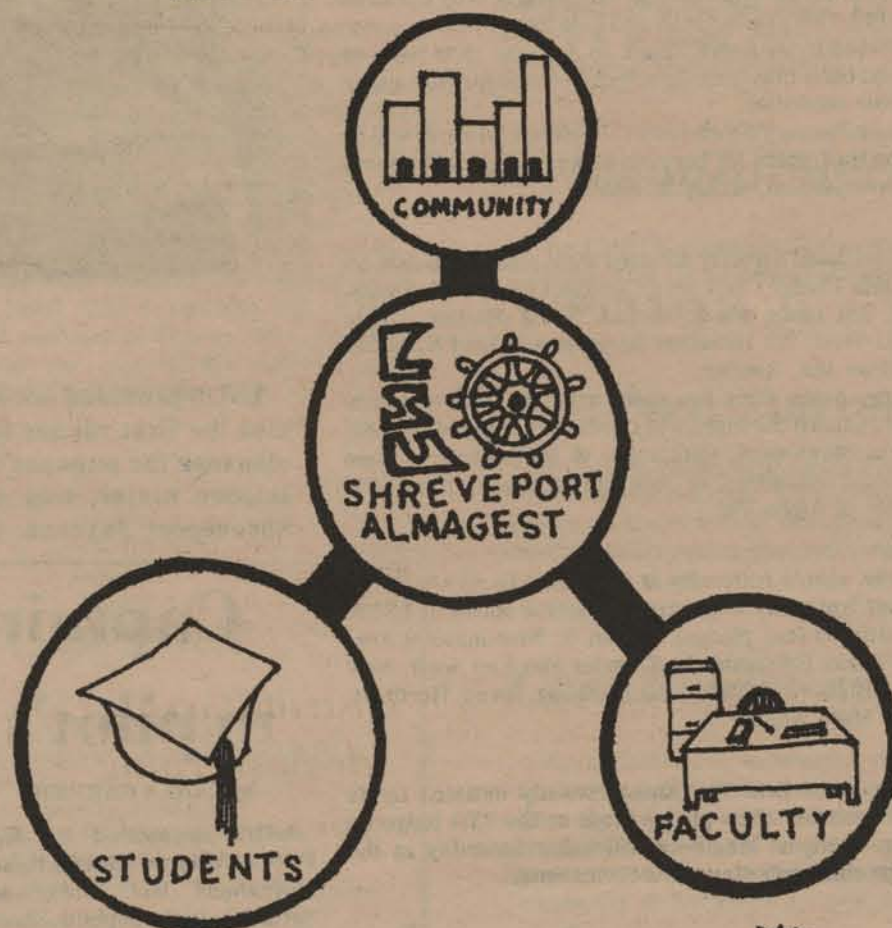
We certainly do not expect others to be in agreement with us all the time. A fundamental belief in the freedom of the press is that readers be kept informed and are presented the different views to an issue. We will strive to do this.

The various campus offices,

departments and organizations are invited to contact us on newsworthy events in this spring semester. Also, other personal contributions are always welcome.

The Almagest staff thanks all of LSUS for its support and looks forward to hearing from its readers. We also wish you a rewarding semester this spring.

## WELCOME BACK



## Can you spare the time?

(Editor's Note: Guest columnist this week is Carl Smith, director of the LSUS Baptist Student Union.)

Picture a man drowning in the middle of a lake. On the shore is a crowd of people with a variety of responses.

One man is watching a squirrel in a tree. Another is straightening his handkerchief and tie. A third has a pencil and pad keeping count of how many times the drowning man goes down.

All of a sudden out of the crowd a man bolts toward the water. With his coat half-way off and still wearing one shoe he does an ungraceful belly-flop in two feet of water and three feet of mud. As he thrashes toward the drowning man, someone on shore says, "What a sloppy dive." "Yeah," says another, "if he can't do it right, why doesn't he leave well enough alone."

THE MEANING of the Parable is this:

The drowning man represents a needy world: hungry, lonely, friendless, suffering, separated from God. He may be a slum child or the person in the desk next to yours in your first period

class. The crowd represents responses you and I may make toward these people.

The man watching the squirrel is unaware of the need. It isn't his problem, so why worry? The man fixing his handkerchief and tie is involved in his own self-interest. His ambitions and goals are all turned inward. His objective is to get a degree in a secure well-paying field that will support his cars, boats and ski trips.

THE MAN keeping count is the statistician. People are numbers, things to meet his need, a job to do, a prospective customer, anything but a living, breathing human being. The rescuer may not have all the skills or grace, but he recognizes need. The drowning man doesn't care if his liberator can do a triple half-gainer with a twist or a cannon ball. He just knows help is coming; someone cares.

The rest of the crowd has plenty of advice on the right and wrong way to do the job. Suggestions may range from throwing him a book on "Learn How to Swim in Ten Easy Lessons," to encouraging him to hold on until the lake could be made into a land-fill so he could

walk out. Some may even offer helpful words like, "serves you right, if you couldn't swim you shouldn't have been out there in the first place!"

BUT NO one thinks to extend a hand to pull him out. The writer of James' Epistle put it this way: "If a fellow man or woman has no clothes to wear and nothing to eat and one of you say, 'Good luck to you, I hope you'll keep warm and find enough to eat,' and yet give them nothing to meet their physical needs, what on earth is the good of that? Yet that is exactly what a bare faith without a corresponding life is like—useless and dead."

It is this refusal to see and feel the world's need, physically and spiritually, that gradually erodes our society, and makes faith "useless and dead." So we keep our heads in the ground, ostrich style, and seek to make the hold more comfortable; thicker carpet here, stain glass (to show we are "religious") there.

But still there is that uneasy awareness that the hurting world outside keeps closing in, multiplying faster than we can dig, not to mention that we miss seeing the sky this way.

## Policy on letters

The Almagest welcomes all letters to the Editor and will print as many as space permits. We ask that they be limited to 300 words, typed (double spaced) and on the Editor's desk (room 328, Bronson Hall) by 1 p.m. Tuesdays.

No letter will be printed unless it is signed by the writer. We also ask that the writer's address and telephone number be included.

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*Psychologist tells group*

# Children need approval

by SANDY BELLAR  
Contributing Writer

Self-directed behavior modification as related to child rearing was the discussion topic of Dr. Robert Benefield, assistant professor of psychology, at Dillard's (South-Park Mall) "coffee and good talks series" recently.

The early morning lecture drew a crowd of thirty women to hear Dr. Benefield speak on the similarities between animal and child behavior.

After providing the group with the background of behaviorial

psychology, he spoke of changing behavior in humans. "Emotions and behavior are learned by social reinforcers", said Benefield. So to change behavior, parents and educators can learn to use certain powerful reinforcers and obtain successful results.

"TWO POWERFUL reinforcers are attention and approval as behavior is affected by its consequences," he explained. He added that positive and negative reinforcers will change behavior. However, positive reinforcers work better

than negative ones because punishment results in side effects and a worse behavior may take its place.

"What works is a combination of punishment and rewards and a clear set of rules as was done in your grandparent's day." He continued, "Parents today do not provide a consistent example. Because of this, children become confused and depressed. The similar condition in animals is called conditioned helplessness."

FURTHERMORE, SMALL immediate rewards work best and the ability to think small helps tremendously. Behavior modification works when it is used systematically.

Currently, Dr. Benefield is teaching two sections of behavior modification, Psychology 355, and which he recommends for all education majors.

"The best way to control behavior is to apply a combination of love, approval and affection because it is the type of attention which determines what children will become," he concluded.

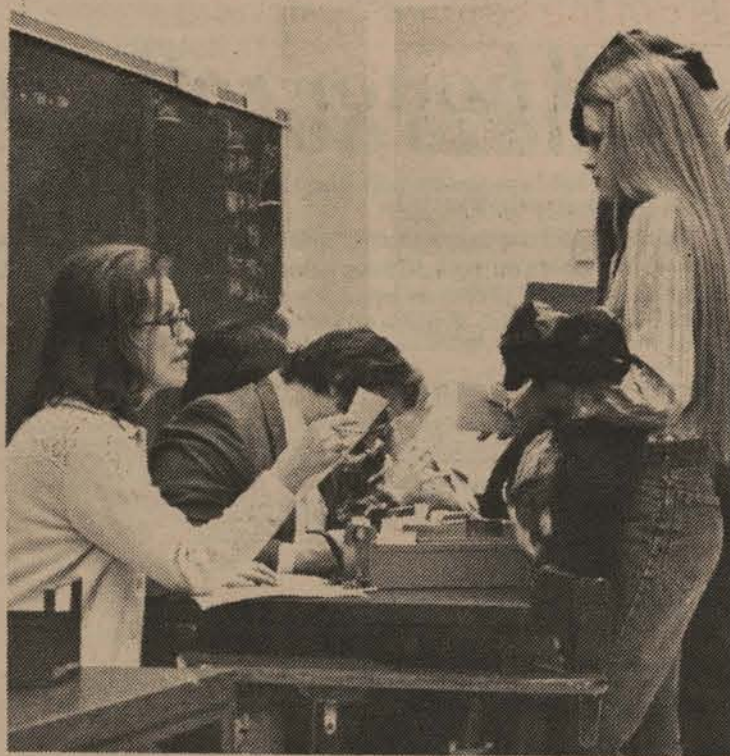
## Distributorships draw warning

Instant, powdered antifreeze and liquid tire sealant distributorships are presently being marketed to Louisiana businessmen as profitable business ventures according to the Governor's Office of Consumer Protection.

The director of the state office, Charles W. Tapp, urged consumers today to exercise extreme caution when dealing with any companies marketing distributorships of these products.

THE FIRMS characteristically operate in the following manner. They contact a Louisiana businessman by telephone to arrange an interview. During the interview, the businessman is told that his business has been selected through computer research as a profitable retail outlet.

The seller promises free advertising and promotional items as well as the services of a professional sales team to sell the product and service. In a number of instances, the promises are not kept, in spite of payments ranging from \$3,000 to \$30,000.



### You want to take what?

Dr. Lillian Hall, associate professor of communications, helps a student during registration. More than 2,700 students enrolled during the Jan. 6-7 spring registration period. (photo: Roger Herring)

## Real estate short course to be offered this semester

A real estate broker's short course will be taught at LSUS from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays Jan. 26 through March 31. The course, to be taught in room 101 of Bronson Hall, will cost \$150 per student. Class size will be limited.

Louisiana state law required that all candidates for the broker's license examination complete a prescribed course of study in real estate principles and practices. The classroom requirements consists of 60 hours of lecture, review and examination.

The curriculum to be offered is that required by the Department of Occupational Standards and the Louisiana Real Estate Commission. Speakers expert in real estate will be included in

the program. Don Valliere, vice president of Pioneer Mortgage

Corporation is the course coordinator.

The course has been approved by the Veteran's Administration for GI benefits. John B. Powell, director of LSUS conferences and institutes, said under certain conditions the course may be claimed as an educational expense and deducted on income tax returns.

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# Fall honor roll announced

Some 202 full-time and 263 part-time students have made the fall semester honor roll at Louisiana State University in Shreveport.

To qualify for the list, a student must make at least a 3.5, B plus average. The grading system allows four points for each A, three points for B's, two for C's, one for D's and no points for F's. Full-time students take 12 or more hours of work.

Of the full-time total, 37 made 4.0 averages—straight A's. They are (listed by hometown):

Shreveport—Eric Bennos, Clement B. Binings Jr., Katherine E. Broach, Martha S. Burns, Mary O. Cobb, Nancy C. Davis, Susan Dowden, David C. Gorsulowsky, John D. Horner, Rebecca L. Hudsmith, Charles W. Kessler, William E. Kintzing, Joseph C. Martinec, Winston E. Moore Jr., Michael L. Norton, Carol M. Peterson, David M.

Poorbaugh, Richard E. Ross, Mark P. Steinmetz, Nancy J. Thomley, Donald R. Wendt, Carol A. Wilson.

Bossier City—Stephen R. Brandt, Kathy J. Brown, Vickie J. Edison, James E. Harvey, Diane D. Jones, Debra L. Lea, Rupert G. Madden, Stephanie A. Snyder.

Barksdale—John H. Austin Jr.

Stonewall—Margaret A. Dickerson, Vivian—Jack T. Blakley, Cathy D. Hollier, Homer—Jane J. Thomas.

Keo, Ark.—William H. Lanehart.

Avinger, Tex.—Paula K. Williamson.

Full-time students making 3.5 to 3.9 averages are (Listed by hometown):

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## VA benefits given

The Veterans Administration (VA) has issued several statements regarding the GI loan, life insurance policies and various veterans benefits available from government sources other than the VA.

The VA encourages veterans holding National Service Life Insurance (NSLI) policies to give consideration to converting the five-year level premium to a permanent-plan policy.

**TERM INSURANCE** premiums increase sharply at each renewal after age 50, often imposing a hardship on the policyholder. While premium rates for permanent plans are higher than for term policies issued at the same ages, they remain constant throughout the life of the policy.

The VA offers a number of permanent plans of insurance all of which offers cash and loan values while avoiding future premium increases. Include are modified life plans, ordinary life, limited payment life and endowments.

Concerning the GI loan, married veterans should include their spouses' income in considering whether they can take advantage of the loan.

**VA POLICY** is to consider the full combined income of both the veteran and spouse when the income of the veteran alone is not sufficient to qualify him or her for the amount of the loan sought.

Anthony Lentine, director of the New Orleans VA office, has listed the following benefits other than VA available to qualified veterans and their families:

FHA Home Mortgage Insurance up to a maximum of \$45,000. A minimum cash investment is required: 10 per cent of the dwelling's value between \$25,000 and \$35,000, and 15 per cent of the value above \$35,000. The maximum interest rate is 9 per cent plus a mortgage insurance premium of 1/2 of 1 per cent.

A government guarantee of the premiums and interest due on eligible commercial life insurance policies not exceeding \$10,000 in any individual case for two years after discharge.

Unlimited commissary and post exchange privileges for honorably discharged veterans with 100 per cent service-connected disability.

Supervised credit and management advice and loans for housing in rural areas or in towns of up to 10,000 population may be obtained from the Agriculture Department's Farmers Home Administration.

Preferences in Federal Civil Service employment, including points added to passing scores in competitive examinations, waivers of physical requirements, restriction of certain jobs to veterans, preference for retention in case of reduction of forces and similar procedures.

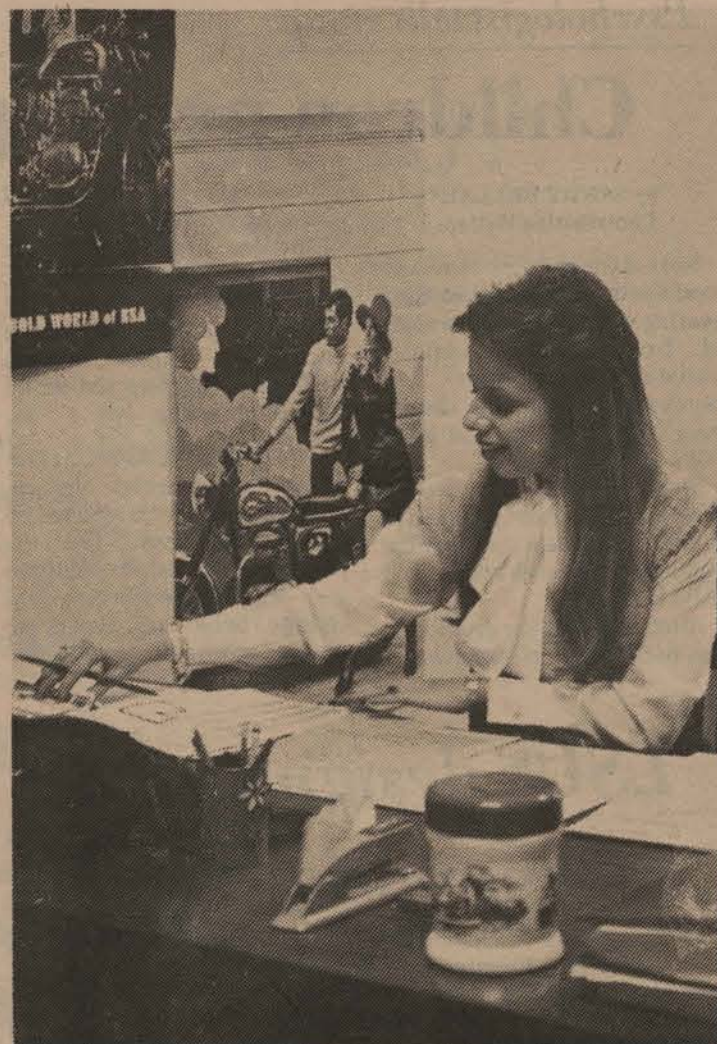
## New courses announced

The fine arts faculty at LSUS is offering several new courses during the spring semester. Dr. Mary Ann McBride, dean of the College of Liberal Arts, has announced.

Donald Alexander, assistant professor of fine arts, explained that "Shreveport is a community vitally interested in the arts. We at LSUS want to encourage that interest." Alexander will offer instruction in crafts, design, independent workshop study, and lettering.

Drawing and basic and intermediate sculpture will be taught by assistant professor Chryl Savoy whose sculpture was recently selected for a showing in Rome. Ann Terzia, assistant professor, will offer courses in art history and intermediate painting.

Alexander said all fine arts classes may be taken on a credit or non-credit bases.



Marilyn Kolonko busily prepares for another yearbook deadline. (photo: Roger Herring)

## campus personality

### Kolonko active on campus

by SANDY BELLAR  
Contributing Writer

Miss LSUS, Marilyn Kolonko, is editor-in-chief of the Bagatelle. She is a senior speech and hearing therapy education major.

Born in Japan, the 22-year-old coed is the daughter of a retired military family. Presently, she lives in the Coleman Park subdivision in Bossier City.

At LSUS she is active in numerous activities. As a member of the Bagatelle staff for three years, she was in charge of the write-ups of organizations and of the faculty. Furthermore, she is a "little sis" of Delta Sigma Phi Fraternity.

Also, she is on the steering committee which is planning the Student Louisiana Teacher's Association convention to be held in February. She sits on the panel of officers of the Louisiana Teacher's Association.

Mainly, much of the energy of the honor students is spent acting in Sigma Alpha Upsilon plays. The plays are scheduled to be performed in area schools and public libraries.

Currently, she is in Goldilocks and The Three Bears and Little Billy Goat Gruff. Marilyn says the plays help relieve tension and give her a feeling of fulfillment. She has been both secretary and treasurer in Sigma Alpha Upsilon.

In addition to these school activities, she is on the Student Activities Board (SAB) publicity committee and works at the Friday (SAB) movies.

Her hobbies are sewing, acting, dancing, skiing and horseback riding. Upon graduating she plans to go to graduate school and become a public school speech therapist.

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## \$33,500,000 Unclaimed Scholarships

Over \$33,500,000 unclaimed scholarships, grants, aids, and fellowships ranging from \$50 to \$10,000. Current list of these sources researched and compiled as of Sept. 15, 1975.

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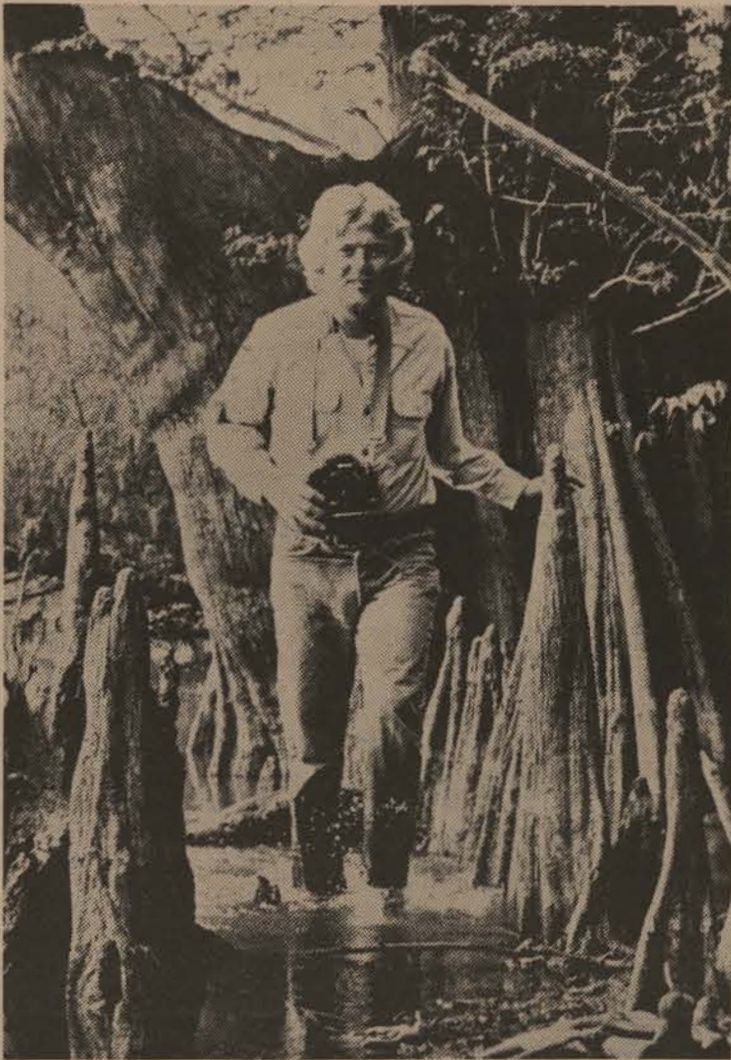
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C.C. Lockwood on Bayou Forche in the Atchafalaya Basin. (photo: Courtesy of D. Neufeld)

Taken during 18-month stint

## Wildlife photos on exhibit

by GINA GORDEY

C.C. Lockwood has spent the past 18 months fighting hungry mosquitoes, sleeping on soggy silt-banks and standing in knee-deep water for hours on end.

It's all in a day's work for Lockwood, and outdoor wildlife photographer whose photographic exhibit of 36 prints of the Atchafalaya Basin appears in the LSUS Library through Feb. 5.

DURING THE past year, Lockwood has taken more than 5,000 pictures while canoeing, camping and hiking through the basin.

He became interested in photography while attending LSU for a degree in business finance. In 1971 he purchased a single lens reflex camera and began a self-instructed course in photography that culminated with a summer stint as a photographer for the campus

newspaper, the Reveille.

After photographing wildlife in the Colorado Rockies, the Florida Everglades and Mexico's Sonora Desert, Lockwood realized that one of the most unusual and interesting wildlife areas in the United States was only an hour drive from his alma mater. He began spending long hours in the Atchafalaya Basin, usually putting in his canoe at Butte La Rose before sunrise and returning after dark.

WHEN HE started his Atchafalaya Basin project, it was with the idea of eventually putting together the best of his photographs for a conservation exhibit or slide presentation. After seeing some of his work, personnel at businesses and organizations all over the South have invited him to display his collection of framed color prints.

The exhibit captures the mood

and mysterious beauty of one of the last unspoiled natural areas left in the country. The bayous and giant cypress trees, the unique wildlife and the unmatched scenery of the basin show an old culture of Louisiana. Prints are of animals, flowers, people and landscape including bayous and giant cypress trees.

IN ADDITION to his atchafalaya work, Lockwood's photographs have appeared in National Geographic and Audubon magazines and in many wildlife filmstrips and newspaper conservation articles.

At the invitation of Dr. Marlin Perkins of Wild Kingdom fame, Lockwood gave a slide presentation in Washington, D.C. during a national symposium on endangered and threaten wildlife. He also has a permanent space for his work at Gallery South in Baton Rouge.

## Christenson names 4 actresses, 1 actor to cast in Theatre One play

Four of Shreveport's leading actresses and one of its top actors have been chosen by director Sheila Christenson for Paul Zindel's adult drama, "And Miss Reardon Drinks a Little," opening at Theatre One on Jan. 22.

Memory Lee Streun, Anne Gremillion and Geraldine Van Tiem have been cast as three sisters, all schoolteachers, one of whom has been accused of misconduct with a student. During the course of the play, their past relationship with their mother and each other is explored. Eleanor Cullick and Bob Weimar appear as a married couple who invade the privacy of the sisters, causing disruption and anger and forcing the women to come to grips with their problems.

**VETERAN ACTRESS** Streun's local stage career has encompassed major roles in every community theatre. She will be seen as Catherine Reardon, a role played on Broadway by Estelle Parsons. Mrs. Streun's most recent appearances have included Shreveport Little Theater's "Light Up the Sky" and Gas Light Player's production of "The Torch Bearers."

Miss Gremillion was last seen in the Little Theater's "Finishing Touches" and also appeared in "Vivat! Vivat! Regina" at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. She will portray Anna, the neurotic sister, which Julie Harris did in the Broadway production.

THE ROLE OF Ceil Adams,

the married sister, will be played by Geraldine Van Tiem who was last seen in "Cabaret" at the Shreveport Little Theater. Mrs. Van Tiem has also appeared in the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse's productions of "Sound of Music," and "Music Man" and Port Theater's productions of "Cheaper by the Dozen" and "Death of a Salesman."

Eleanor Cullick, who will appear as Fleur Stein, was last seen at the Shreveport Little Theater in "The Dybbuk." She has appeared in Port's productions of "Oliver" and "Don't Drink the Water," and "Our Town" and "Fiddler on the Roof" at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse. She was a recipient of the Shreveport Times Drama Award as Best Supporting Actress for her role in "Fiddler" in 1972.

Weimar has essayed roles on local stages in productions at all playhouses, including "1776," "Gypsy" and "Our Town" at the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse; "The Dybbuk," "Finishing Touches" and "All the King's

Men" at the Shreveport Little Theater; and "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" and "Death of a Salesman" at Port Players. He has been the recipient of the Shreveport Times Drama Award for both Best Actor and Best Supporting Actor. He will portray Fleur's husband, Bob Stein.

**APPEARING** in other roles are Judy Rathart as Mrs. Pentrano, and Paul DeFatta as the delivery boy. Rathart has appeared at Gas Light Players, and Mr. DeFatta, who composed the incidental music for the Marjorie Lyons Playhouse recent production of "Member of the Wedding" has also appeared in "J.B." at the Playhouse and "Ah! Wilderness" at the Little Theatre.

"And Miss Reardon Drinks a Little" will have a seven performance run at Theatre One, 3323 Line Avenue, with scheduled performances Jan. 22-24 and Jan. 28-31. Adult tickets are \$3, students \$1.50.

For reservations, persons interested may telephone 869-1275 between 1 and 7 p.m. daily.

## Six concerts slated for spring semester

by SANDY BELLAR  
Contributing Writer

A Chamber Music Series, performed by the Shreveport Symphony Chamber Orchestra, is planned for the spring semester, announced Joe Simon, director of student activities.

Under the auspices of the LSUS Bicentennial Committee, the Artist and Lecturers Committee and the Students Activities Board, the programs are offered to accent the Bicentennial spring semester.

Six concerts are scheduled as follows: The String Quartet will play the Music of Haydn and Mozart Jan. 14, at noon, and the Music of Beethoven and Bartok at 8 p.m., April 8; the Woodwind Quartet and Strings will play American Music for Winds at noon, Jan. 21, and Music for Winds at noon March 31; the Chamber Orchestra will perform the Music of Stravinsky and Schoenberg at 8 p.m., Feb. 12; and the Woodwind Quartet and Strings will perform American Music and Strings at 8 p.m., March 11.

All performances will be in the Science Lecture Auditorium and are open to the public.

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# New IM changes planned for spring

by **GEORGE SYLVIE**  
Contributing Writer

Several new additions are planned for intramural sports this semester, according to Sharon Rasberry, student director of Intramurals.

Women's basketball will join kite flying, bicycle racing, wrestling and track and field on the list of new activities to be offered, although Rasberry stressed the weather conditions will be a determining factor in the latter four events. Basketball, volleyball, badminton and ping pong competition will again be held at Fort Humbug gymnasium, with Jan. 21 the deadline for entries.

**RASBERRY SAID** that basketball games will be played on Monday and Wednesday nights, and possibly Tuesday nights if enough teams enter. She also said more referees were needed and students who are interested may sign up in the Intramurals Office, Bronson Hall, room 130.

In response to poor or no officiating at games last semester, Rasberry mentioned that a referee clinic will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Bronson Hall, room 132. "There will also be scrimmage games—giving both referees and players some practice—in addition to a captain's meeting on Jan. 23 before actual play begins on

Jan. 26. Rules will be discussed at the meeting and are also available on the intramural bulletin board." Scorekeepers and timekeepers will be provided by participating teams.

**VOLLEYBALL,** badminton and ping pong will be played on Thursday nights at Fort Humbug with the emphasis being on "individual competition. People do not need to be on a team to play these sports. However, there will be a tournament for teams to be announced later."

Contrary to last fall, Fort Humbug will be fully lighted and maps containing directions to the gym are on the intramural bulletin board, Rasberry said. However, she mentioned that 13 basketball jerseys were still missing and that they should be returned to the Intramurals Office.

Summarizing the intramural picture she said, "Even though participation was good last fall, we hope for a lot more people getting involved this semester, because many events will depend on student participation.

## Intramural Sports Calendar

Sport	Entries Open	Entries Close	Captain's Meeting	Play Begins
Basketball	Jan. 6	Jan. 21	Jan. 23	Jan. 26
Volleyball	Jan. 6	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Jan. 29
Badminton	Jan. 6	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Jan. 29
Ping Pong	Jan. 6	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Jan. 29
Softball	Feb. 2	Feb. 27	March 9	March 10

## Testing program changes given

Princeton, N.J.—Educational Testing Service (ETS) reports several major changes in two national testing programs whose scores are used as part of the admissions process in many of the nation's graduate schools.

Both programs, the newly-titled Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) and the Graduate Record Examinations (GRE), together test more than 400,000 prospective graduate students every year.

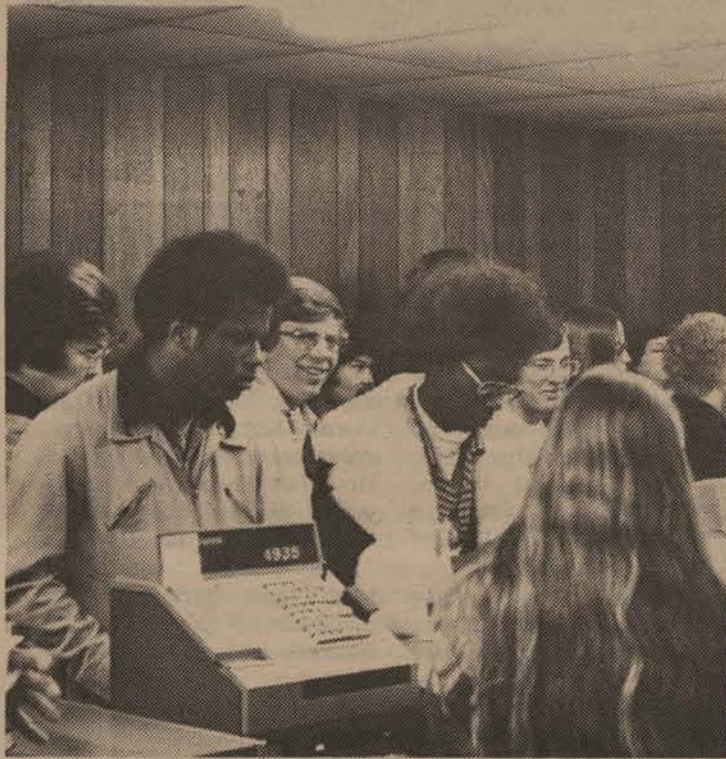
ETS says the changes were made to help simplify the test-taking process by making it more accommodating for student candidates.

**THE GMAT** formerly was called the Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business. The new name parallels a similar change in the sponsoring council's name — reflecting a trend among graduate business schools to broaden their curricula and degree titles to include other areas of administration, as well as business.

The program is developed and conducted by ETS for the Admission Council for Graduate Study in Management, a group representing 43 graduate schools of management.

**ANOTHER** significant change in the GMAT is an expanded admission ticket correction form that allows the candidate to verify, and correct if necessary, the accuracy of the information he or she provided ETS on the registration form. Walk-in registration, established during the 1974-75 academic year, also will be honored, space and material permitting.

There also are several new additions to the GRE. For the first time, a full-length sample GRE aptitude test is available to give candidates an accurate view of the scope of the test and the type of questions it contains. The sample test is the same length and format as the currently used forms of the aptitude test, and contains questions previously used in past tests. An answer key is provided. The sample aptitude test may be ordered separately or as part of the Graduate Programs and Admissions Manual, which provides information about more than 500 institutions and their graduate programs.



### Need a book?

Registration lines were as long as ever during the Jan. 6-7 registration, as those students waiting to buy books could testify. (photo: Phillip Burns of the Bagatelle Staff)

## Equal credit now available

"The new Federal Equal Credit Opportunity Act became effective October 28, 1975. Basically, the act extends the rights of women seeking credit," says Charles W. Tapp, Director of the Governor's Office of Consumer Protection.

According to the Federal Trade Commission, the new law applies to all extensions of credit made after October 27 of this year, be it a consumer transaction or a business transaction, and disclosures must be made regarding one's rights under this law.

In general terms, it is now unlawful to discriminate against any applicant for credit on the basis of sex or marital status; however, it is permissible for the would-be extender of credit to require the signature of a spouse if it is necessary to effect

a valid lien or mortgage on secured transactions.

Credit grantors may not use a credit scoring method which place any emphasis on either the sex or the marital status of the applicant or to the existence of a telephone listing in applicant's name.

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